IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT PATNA
Cr.Misc. No.57105 of 2007
RATAN SHARMA
Versus
STATE OF BIHAR
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3. 13.5.2008 Heard.

Learned counsel for the petitioner submitted that though the case has been registered under section 366A of the Indian Penal Code but the girl has been found to be of 15 years of age and the boy is 18 years old. It may be a matter of love affair and the father of the boy reached the girl to her father's house. Considering the age of the petitioner and the period of custody, he deserves to be enlarged on bail.

From the perusal of the lower court order it appears that the boy took the girl at several places and also established physical relationship with the minor girl. I do not feel inclined to release the petitioner on bail. His prayer for bail, therefore, is rejected at this stage.

(Rekha Kumari,J.)

Surendra/

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